BANGALORE CITY MUNICIPALITY.

Notice re Bye-Law, No. 22, dated 9th December 1897.

CONSTRUCTING PRIVY PITS WITH STONE.

It is hereby notified to those concerned who may be required to construct stone-lined privy pits under Section 22 of the Bye-Laws, City Municipality, that in order to help house owners to comply with the provision of this Bye-Law, the Municipality will undertake to do such work on parties depositing cost of the same. Applications for constructing of privy pits can be made to the Municipal Office, to the Sanitary Department or to Conservancy Overseer of Division.

COLLECTION DEPARTMENT.

The 31st December 1897.

The Office of the Collector of Municipal Taxes, City Municipality, is removed to the Head Office, Fort, where all official business connected with Municipal taxes, assessments, &c., is attended to daily, Sundays excepted.

T. T. LEONARD, *President.*

Notice, dated 19th January 1898.

Wanted a Candidate, who has passed the Matriculation Examination with Telugu as his Optional language for the Head Master's post, on Rs. 12, in the Taluk Telugu School at Kolar. The applicant must be below 25 years of age.

Applications should reach the office of the undersigned not later than the 20th of February 1898.

M. RANGAPPA,
Dy. Inspr. of Schools, Kolar Dt.

MORTUARY REGISTER.

FOR THE WEEK ENDING 21ST JANUARY 1898.

Bangalore City.

Estimated population .. { Males .. 40,873 / Females .. 39,412 } Total .. 80,285

Diseases.	M.	F.	Total.
Cholera	...	...	...
Small-pox	...	...	...
Fevers	1	5	6
Bowel-complaints	..	1	1
Suicide	...	...	...
Wounding	...	...	...
Accident	1	1	2
Snake-bite or killed by wild beasts.	...	..	...
All other causes	9	6	15
Total ...	11	13	24
Births during the Week ...	22	12	34

Mysore City.

Estimated population .. { Males .. 36,691 / Females . 37,357 } Total .. 74,048

Diseases.	M.	F.	Total.
Cholera	...	...	..
Small-pox	1	...	1
Fevers	9	10	19
Bowel-complaints	...	...	...
Suicide	...	...	...
Wounding	...	...	...
Accident	...	...	...
Snake-bite or killed by wild beasts.	...	...	..
All other causes	4	6	10
Total ...	14	16	30
Births during the Week ..	24	13	37

P. H. BENSON, M. B., *Surgeon, Lt.-Colonel,*
Sr. Surgn. & Sany. Comr. with the Govt. of Mysore.

Notification No. 154—Mis. 90, dated 8th February 1898.

It is understood that butter and milk, tinned in Bombay and Baroda and other places infected with the Plague, are being imported and sold in Bangalore and Mysore and other stations in Mysore. The public are warned against using these articles.

The following papers on the subject of arrangements to be made for the despatch of pilgrims for the Hedjaz are published for general information.

V. P. MADHAVA RAO, *Plague Commissioner in Mysore.*

Letter No. 145 M. Mis., dated the 18th January 1898, from the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Local and Municipal Department, to the Resident in Mysore.

With reference to the letter from the Government of India, Home Department No. 2549, dated 27th November 1897, to my address on the subject of the arrangements to be made for the despatch of pilgrims for the Hedjaz, I am directed to state that this Government has arranged that pilgrims from Mysore, should be detained at a camp of observation at Beypore, near the Feroke Railway Station, until they are certified by the Medical Officer in charge to be free from infection and sent thence for embarkation from the port of Calicut. Arrangements for receiving the pilgrims at the camp will be ready in the course of a week or so but definite information regarding this will be sent to you by telegram later on. I am to request that the pilgrims may be made clearly to understand that such of them as are unable to pay for their passage by sea to Jeddah *viâ* Bombay and Karachi (above Rs. 70) will not be admitted into the camp of observation. I am also to invite attention to para 3 of the resolution of the Government of Bombay No. 7079, dated 20th December 1897, from which it will be seen that the pilgrims are to be segregated and kept under observation a *second* time in Sindh before they are allowed to leave Karachi and to request that you will arrange to make this known to intending pilgrims.

PILGRIMS.

Arrangements at Bombay and Karachi for the despatch of pilgrims to the Hedjaz.

General Department No. 7079, *Bombay Castle*, 20*th December* 1897.

Memorandum from the Commissioner of Customs No. 5748, dated the 4th December 1897.

Submitting the following letter No. C.—20810, dated the 3rd idem, from the Collector of Customs, Bombay. "With reference to your No. 5541 of date 24th ultimo, I have the honor to report as follows:—

"2. The Persian Steam Navigation Company has been referred to Notification No. 6560 of 25th November 1897, opening the pilgrimage from India under certain restrictions.

"3. There are now in Bombay only 67 who profess themselves pilgrims; of these none have to be despatched home as being from the prohibited area. They can be housed at Malet Bandar pilgrim shed and can be despatched to Karachi after the (10) days. Many of them will have to be sent at Government expense. I enclose a list of the 67 pilgrims.

"4. I apprehend there are many in Bombay come from up-country, who disclaim being pilgrims though they came to Bombay with the intention of going on the Haj. They will attempt to get away by indirect means. Every precaution has been taken to prevent this, but I would recommend that the probable date of sailing of a vessel from Karachi and the conditions under which pilgrims from outside the presidency will be allowed to proceed in her should be notified as soon as possible. They may then come forward for segregation in a camp of observation, and transport to Karachi."

Telegram from the Commissioner in Sindh No. 1265, dated the 12th December 1897:—

"In reference to Government Resolution 6668 of 30th will the orders in your telegram* No. 6522 of 24th November, that pilgrims who come to Bombay and are shipped thence to Karachi must be segregated ten days in Sindh before departure thence, apply to pilgrims shipped at Madras Port and transhipped for Karachi in Bombay? I propose keeping them in Manora only till pilgrim ship is ready."

*Printed in the preamble of Government Resolution No. 6560, dated 25th November 1897.

Letter from the Government of India, Home Department (Sanitary), No. 2630, dated the 11th December 1897:—

Communicating their instructions as regards the arrangements to be made for the despatch from Karachi of pilgrims arriving there as ordinary passengers and of pilgrims from other parts of India sent there from Bombay.

Letter from the Commissioner of Police, Bombay, No. 9873-21, dated the 13th December 1897:—

"I have the honor to report for the information of Government that on the 2nd instant it was brought to my notice, by the Protector of Emigrants, that amongst the passengers who had shipped per *S. S. Patna* of the B. I. S. N. Company then about to sail for Muscat and other Persian Gulf Ports, there were 33 men suspected to be pilgrims.

From enquiries made by the Protector of Pilgrims it was ascertained that they were Bokhari pilgrims and they were consequently brought on shore, and are at present living in different parts of the city, being unable to proceed to their homes for want of funds.

"2. The Agents of the B. I. S. N. Company have refunded them the cost of their passage tickets minus a sum of Rs. 5 which had to be paid for bringing them from the steamer to the Ballard Pier."

Resolution:—Copy of the letter from the Government of India should be forwarded to the Commissioner in Sindh and the Commissioner of Customs for information and guidance.